#### **BOARD APPOINTEES AND VACANCIES**

Section 2-15-108, MCA, passed by the 1991 Legislature, directed that all appointing authorities of all appointive boards, commissions, committees and councils of state government take positive action to attain gender balance and proportional representation of minority residents to the greatest extent possible.

One directive of 2-15-108, MCA, is that the Secretary of State publish monthly in the *Montana Administrative Register* a list of appointees and upcoming or current vacancies on those boards and councils.

In this issue, appointments effective in August 2006 appear. Vacancies scheduled to appear from October 1, 2006, through December 31, 2006, are listed, as are current vacancies due to resignations or other reasons. Individuals interested in serving on a board should refer to the bill that created the board for details about the number of members to be appointed and necessary qualifications.

Each month, the previous month's appointees are printed, and current and upcoming vacancies for the next three months are published.

#### **IMPORTANT**

Membership on boards and commissions changes constantly. The following lists are current as of September 1, 2006.

For the most up-to-date information of the status of membership, or for more detailed information on the qualifications and requirements to serve on a board, contact the appointing authority.

<u>Appointee</u>	Appointed by	Succeeds	Appointment/End Date
Board of Athletics (Labor and Industry Ms. Jamie Jones Great Falls Qualifications (if required): public representations	Governor	McCarl	8/16/2006 4/25/2007
<b>Board of Banking</b> (Administration) Mr. Jon Redlin Lambert Qualifications (if required): state bank	Governor officer of a large size bank	reappointed	8/14/2006 7/1/2009
Mr. Russ Ritter Helena Qualifications (if required): public repre	Governor	reappointed	8/14/2006 7/1/2009
Board of Personnel Appeals (Labor a Ms. Alice Whiteman Bonner Qualifications (if required): full time ma	Governor	Brobst organization with a collec	8/14/2006 1/1/2009 ctive bargaining unit
Board of Pharmacy (Labor and Indust Mr. William D. Burton Helena Qualifications (if required): licensed ph	Governor	reappointed	8/3/2006 7/1/2011
Board of Plumbers (Labor and Industry Ms. Debi Friede Havre Qualifications (if required): public representations	Governor	Laknar	8/18/2006 5/4/2007

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Board of Professional Engineers and Ms. Liz Blair Whitefish Qualifications (if required): public repre	Governor	<b>eyors</b> (Labor and Industi Markle	ry) 8/3/2006 7/1/2010
Mr. David Elias Anaconda Qualifications (if required): licensed la	Governor nd surveyor	Applebury	8/3/2006 7/1/2010
Mr. Steve Wright Columbia Falls Qualifications (if required): licensed ch	Governor nemical engineer	reappointed	8/3/2006 7/1/2010
Board of Public Accountants (Labor Mr. Gary Kasper Fairfield Qualifications (if required): licensed pu	Governor	reappointed	8/15/2006 7/1/2011
Board of Radiologic Technologists ( Ms. Kelli Bush Butte Qualifications (if required): radiologic t	Governor	Carter	8/14/2006 7/1/2009
Board of Realty Regulation (Labor and Ms. Judith Peasley Seeley Lake Qualifications (if required): public representations	Governor	Hilgendorf	8/3/2006 5/9/2010

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Board of Water Well Contractors (Na Mr. Kevin Haggerty Bozeman Qualifications (if required): water well of	Governor	ervation) reappointed	8/3/2006 7/1/2009
Commissioner of Political Practices Commissioner Dennis Unsworth Helena Qualifications (if required): not listed	(Secretary of State) Governor	Higgins	8/30/2006 1/1/2011
Economic Development Advisory Co Mr. Jim Atchison Colstrip Qualifications (if required): public repre	Governor	reappointed	8/28/2006 7/23/2009
Mr. Jim Lee Glendive Qualifications (if required): public repre	Governor	Lutts	8/28/2006 7/23/2009
Ms. Elizabeth Marchi Whitefish Qualifications (if required): public repre	Governor	reappointed	8/28/2006 7/23/2009
Mr. Joe Menicucci Belgrade Qualifications (if required): public repre	Governor	Holland	8/28/2006 7/23/2009

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Economic Development Advisory Co Mr. Richard Sangray Box Elder Qualifications (if required): public repre	Governor	Sansaver	8/28/2006 7/23/2009
Flathead Basin Commission (Natural Ms. Katie Hunt Kalispell Qualifications (if required): public repre	Governor	on) Wood	8/18/2006 6/30/2007
Mental Disabilities Board of Visitors Ms. Joan-Nell Macfadden Great Falls Qualifications (if required): experience	Governor	reappointed children	8/14/2006 7/1/2008
Ms. Sandra Mihelish Helena Qualifications (if required): experience	Governor with welfare of mentally ill in	Cahill ndividuals	8/14/2006 7/1/2008
Mr. Graydon Davies Moll Polson Qualifications (if required): experience	Governor with developmentally disab	reappointed led adults	8/14/2006 7/1/2008
Petroleum Tank Release Compensat Ms. Adele Michels Plentywood Qualifications (if required): public mem	Governor	Quality) Bateridge	8/18/2006 6/30/2009

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Petroleum Tank Release Compensation Mr. Steve Michels Raynseford Qualifications (if required): service state	Governor	Quality) cont. Schumacher	8/15/2006 6/30/2009
Rangeland Resources Committee (N	latural Resources and Cons	servation)	
Ms. Diane Ahlgren Winnett	Governor	Haughian	8/28/2006 0/0/0
Qualifications (if required): rancher fro	m Eastern Montana		0/0/0
Mr. Les Gilman Alder	Governor	reappointed	8/28/2006 0/0/0
Qualifications (if required): rancher fro	m Western Montana		
Mr. Steve Hedstrom Raynesford	Governor	reappointed	8/28/2006 0/0/0
Qualifications (if required): rancher fro	m Central Montana		5, 5, 5
Ms. Tracy Hentges Wolf Point	Governor	Anderson	8/28/2006 0/0/0
Qualifications (if required): rancher fro	m Northern Montana		
Mr. John Hollenback Gold Creek	Governor	reappointed	8/28/2006 0/0/0
Qualifications (if required): rancher fro	m West of the Divide		

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Rangeland Resources Committee (No. 1971) Mr. Michael Lane Three Forks Qualifications (if required): rancher from	Governor	servation) cont. reappointed	8/28/2006 0/0/0
Small Business Health Insurance Po Ms. Connie Welsh Helena Qualifications (if required): management	Governor	reappointed wledge of state employee	8/10/2006 1/1/2009 health benefit plans
Telecommunications Advisory Cour Services)	ncil Services for Persons	with Disabilities (Public	Health and Human
Mr. Eric Eck Helena	Governor	reappointed	8/14/2006 7/1/2009
Qualifications (if required): representa	tive of the Public Service Co	ommission	
Ms. Marce French Lewistown	Governor	Davis	8/18/2006 7/1/2009
Qualifications (if required): nondisable	a senior citizen		
Ms. Cheryl Gillespie Helena	Governor	reappointed	8/14/2006 7/1/2009
Qualifications (if required): representa	tive of the largest local exch	nange company	
Ms. Christy Keto Havre	Governor	reappointed	8/14/2006 7/1/2009

Qualifications (if required): representative of an interLATA interexchange carrier

Board/current position holder	Appointed by	Term end
9-1-1 Advisory Council (Administration) Mr. Mark Lerum, Helena Qualifications (if required): Helena Police Department	Director	11/3/2006
Mr. Geoff Feiss, Helena Qualifications (if required): Montana Telecommunications Association	Director	11/3/2006
Mr. Jeff Brandt, Helena Qualifications (if required): Department of Administration	Director	11/3/2006
Mr. Steve Larson, Helena Qualifications (if required): Montana State Fire Chiefs Association	Director	11/3/2006
Mr. Chuck Winn, Bozeman Qualifications (if required): Montana State Fire Chiefs Association	Director	11/3/2006
Mr. Joe Calnan, Montana City Qualifications (if required): Montana State Volunteer Fire Fighters Association	Director	11/3/2006
Mr. Larry Sheldon, Helena Qualifications (if required): Qwest Communications	Director	11/3/2006
Mr. Don Hollister, Kalispell Qualifications (if required): Century Tel	Director	11/3/2006
Ms. Jenny Hansen, Helena Qualifications (if required): Department of Administration	Director	11/3/2006

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9-1-1 Advisory Council (Administration) cont. Mr. Brian Wolf, Helena Qualifications (if required): Department of Administration	Director	11/3/2006
Ms. Lisa Kelly, Kalispell Qualifications (if required): Century Tel	Director	11/3/2006
Ms. Margaret Morgan, Helena Qualifications (if required): Western Wireless	Director	11/3/2006
Mr. Craig Bender, Great Falls Qualifications (if required): 3 Rivers Wireless	Director	11/3/2006
Mr. Mike Doto (city not listed) Qualifications (if required): Montana State Volunteer Fire Fighters Association	Director	11/3/2006
Mr. Phil Maxwell (city not listed) Qualifications (if required): Montana Telecommunications Association	Director	11/3/2006
Ms. Anne Kindness (city not listed) Qualifications (if required): Helena Police Department	Director	11/3/2006
Mr. Dennis Luttrell (city not listed) Qualifications (if required): Qwest Communications	Director	11/3/2006
Ms. Aimee Grmoljez, Helena Qualifications (if required): Verizon Wireless	Director	11/3/2006

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9-1-1 Advisory Council (Administration) cont. Mr. Stanley Kaleczyc (city not listed) Qualifications (if required): Verizon Wireless	Director	11/3/2006
Mr. Terry Ferestad, Billings Qualifications (if required): Western Wireless	Director	11/3/2006
Mr. Ernie Peterson (city not listed) Qualifications (if required): 3 Rivers Wireless	Director	11/3/2006
Ms. Becky Berger, Helena Qualifications (if required): Department of Administration	Director	11/3/2006
Ms. Anita Moon, Helena Qualifications (if required): Department of Administration	Director	11/3/2006
Board of Barbers and Cosmetologists (Labor and Industry) Ms. Verna Dupuis, Bozeman Qualifications (if required): cosmetologist	Governor	10/1/2006
Ms. Karan Charles, Miles City Qualifications (if required): barber	Governor	10/1/2006
<b>Board of Occupational Therapy Practice</b> (Labor and Industry) Ms. Cindy Stergar, Butte Qualifications (if required): Public Representative	Governor	12/31/2006

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Board of Occupational Therapy Practice (Labor and Industry) cont. Ms. Elspeth Richards, Missoula Qualifications (if required): occupational therapist	Governor	12/31/2006
Ms. L. Delores Gilbert, Sidney Qualifications (if required): public member	Governor	12/31/2006
Mr. Tim Tracy, Kalispell Qualifications (if required): Occupational Therapist	Governor	12/31/2006
Board of Outfitters (Labor and Industry) Mr. Craig Madsen, Great Falls Qualifications (if required): fishing outfitter	Governor	10/1/2006
Mr. Russ Smith, Philipsburg Qualifications (if required): hunting and fishing outfitter	Governor	10/1/2006
Country of Origin Labeling Advisory Council (Labor and Industry) Director Keith Kelly, Helena Qualifications (if required): Department of Labor and Industry Commissioner	Governor	12/31/2006
Ms. Linda Nielsen, Nashua Qualifications (if required): Board of Livestock Representative	Governor	12/31/2006
Rep. Bob Bergren, Havre Qualifications (if required): Legislative Representative	Governor	12/31/2006

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Country of Origin Labeling Advisory Council (Labor and Industry) cont. Director Nancy K. Peterson, Helena Qualifications (if required): Department of Agriculture Director	Governor	12/31/2006
Director Anthony J. Preite, Helena Qualifications (if required): Department of Commerce Director	Governor	12/31/2006
Mr. Dan Teigen, Teigen Qualifications (if required): Livestock Industry Representative	Governor	12/31/2006
Ms. Margaret Novak, Chester Qualifications (if required): Retail Food Industry Representative	Governor	12/31/2006
Mr. John Munsell, Miles City Qualifications (if required): Consumer	Governor	12/31/2006
Mr. John Lehfeldt, Lavina Qualifications (if required): Livestock Industry Representative	Governor	12/31/2006
District Court Judge 4th Judicial District Department 2 (Justice) Judge Robert L. Dusty Deschamps III, Missoula Qualifications (if required): none specified	Governor	12/31/2006
Horse Racing Task Force (Governor) Sen. Dale Mahlum, Missoula Qualifications (if required): public representative	Governor	12/31/2006

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Horse Racing Task Force (Governor) cont. Mr. Shawn Real Bird, Garryowen Qualifications (if required): public representative	Governor	12/31/2006
Ms. Sherry Meador, Clancy Qualifications (if required): public representative	Governor	12/31/2006
Mr. Joe Birdrattler, Browning Qualifications (if required): public representative	Governor	12/31/2006
Mr. Ben Carlson, Billings Qualifications (if required): public representative	Governor	12/31/2006
Mr. Bill Schmitt, Great Falls Qualifications (if required): public representative	Governor	12/31/2006
Mr. Ron Thiebert, Kalispell Qualifications (if required): public representative	Governor	12/31/2006
Mr. John Tooke, Miles City Qualifications (if required): public representative	Governor	12/31/2006
Independent Living Council (Public Health and Human Services) Mr. Bob Maffit, Helena Qualifications (if required): Independent Living Center representative	Governor	12/1/2006

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Lewis and Clark Bicentennial Commission (Historical Society) Mr. John G. Lepley, Fort Benton Qualifications (if required): representative of the public	Governor	10/1/2006
Ms. Marcy Hamburg, Savage Qualifications (if required): public member	Governor	10/1/2006
Montana Noxious Weed Trust Fund Advisory Council (Agriculture) Sen. Mack Cole, Forsyth Qualifications (if required): at large representative	Director	10/20/2006
Mr. Bob Bushnell (city not listed) Qualifications (if required): sportsman/wildlife group representative	Director	10/20/2006
Montana Small Business Development Center Advisory Council (Comme Mr. Andy Poole, Helena Qualifications (if required): none specified	rce) Director	12/15/2006
Sen. Jon Tester, Big Sandy Qualifications (if required): none specified	Director	12/15/2006
Ms. Shirley Beck, Philipsburg Qualifications (if required): none specified	Director	12/15/2006
Mr. Ken Green, Whitefish Qualifications (if required): none specified	Director	12/15/2006

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Montana Small Business Development Center Advisory Council (Comme Mr. Paul Tuss, Havre Qualifications (if required): none specified	rce) cont. Director	12/15/2006
Mr. John Langenheim, Bozeman Qualifications (if required): none specified	Director	12/15/2006
Ms. Michelle Johnston, Helena Qualifications (if required): none specified	Director	12/15/2006
Mr. Steve Holland, Bozeman Qualifications (if required): none specified	Director	12/15/2006
Ms. Kathy Jones, Great Falls Qualifications (if required): none specified	Director	12/15/2006
Mr. Dan Killoy, Miles City Qualifications (if required): none specified	Director	12/15/2006
Mr. Joe Unterreiner, Kalispell Qualifications (if required): none specified	Director	12/15/2006
Ms. Reatha Montoya, Colstrip Qualifications (if required): none specified	Director	12/15/2006
Mr. Steve Louttit, Helena Qualifications (if required): none specified	Director	12/15/2006

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Montana Small Business Development Center Advisory Council (Comme Ms. Sara Hamlen, Townsend Qualifications (if required): none specified	erce) cont. Director	12/15/2006
Mr. Scott Atwood, Billings Qualifications (if required): none specified	Director	12/15/2006
Mr. Hale Williams, Missoula Qualifications (if required): none specified	Director	12/15/2006
State Employee Group Benefits Advisory Council (Administration) Sen. Mike Cooney, Helena Qualifications (if required): representing the Legislature	Director	12/31/2006
Mr. Thomas Schneider, Helena Qualifications (if required): representing the Labor Organization	Director	12/31/2006
Mr. Dale Taliaferro, Helena Qualifications (if required): representing Retired State Employees	Director	12/31/2006
Ms. Mary Dalton, Helena Qualifications (if required): representing State Employees	Director	12/31/2006
Mr. Bartley J. Campbell, Helena Qualifications (if required): representing the Legislative Branch	Director	12/31/2006
Mr. Steve Barry, Helena Qualifications (if required): representing State Employees	Director	12/31/2006

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State Employee Group Benefits Advisory Council (Administration) cont. Mr. Richard Cooley, Helena Qualifications (if required): representing State Employees	Director	12/31/2006
Mr. Monte Brown, Helena Qualifications (if required): representing State Employees	Director	12/31/2006
Ms. Amy Carlson, Helena Qualifications (if required): representing State Employees	Director	12/31/2006
Ms. Connie Welsh, Helena Qualifications (if required): Ex-Officio Member	Director	12/31/2006
Mr. Eric Feaver, Helena Qualifications (if required): representing the Labor Organization	Director	12/31/2006
Ms. Christi Jacobsen, Helena Qualifications (if required): representing State Employees	Director	12/31/2006
State Historic Preservation Review Board (Historical Society) Mr. Douglas Johnson, Hamilton Qualifications (if required): having historic property administration expertise	Governor	10/1/2006
Mr. Conrad Fisher, Lame Deer Qualifications (if required): having traditional cultural property expertise	Governor	10/1/2006